

SHORE'S PETITION REFUSED

The Spring Hill Distillery Permit Revoked.

Columbia, April 6.—The State Board of Control has evidenced a disposition to force parties holding distillery permits to keep within the pale of the law. At its meeting to-day a number of permits were revoked, and several distillers were warned that their privileges would cease if they did not observe the law.

At the last meeting of the board T. C. Shores, of Sumter county, presented petitions, asking that he be granted a distillery permit. Yesterday there were presented to the board a number of counter petitions setting forth that there were on Shores' petition names which had been forged. There was an affidavit from G. W. Burkett that his name had been forged. There were written statements that Shores had been operating a blind tiger for two years and that his proposed distillery would be within two miles of a church.

On motion of Mr. Cooper, Shores' application was refused.

Rheumatism Cured.

Mr. wife has used Chamberlain's Pain Balm for rheumatism with great relief, and I can recommend it as a splendid liniment for rheumatism and other household use for which we have found it valuable.—W. J. Cuyler, Red Creek, N. Y.

Mr. Cuyler is one of the leading merchants of this village and one of the most prominent men in this vicinity.—W. G. Phipps, Editor Red Creek Herald. For sale by Dr. A. J. China.

Veteran, Drunkard, Tramp.

Don Kelly, of Virginia, ex-Confederate soldier, drunkard and tramp struck town Monday and, according to his own account, was not here six hours before falling into the hands of a receiver and landing in the guard house. His first act after arrival was to "kick ten cents in a half pint of dispensary whisky," and after getting outside of it he made another investment of a similar character. Thus inspired he opened his ammunition chest and let loose the most copious and accurate vocabulary of words ever brought to town. He swore at and execrated everyone he met until he "fell into the hands of the receivers" and was run in. Yesterday morning he was more sober and less profane than he was Monday and very penitent and remorseful, but notwithstanding penitence and remorse Mayor Rossard sentenced him to five days on the streets. The game old hobo, although his head is frosted by the snows of seventy winters, took his medicine with entire cheerfulness, remarking as he left the court room to join Supt. Tribble's gang, that "ditching was his profession" and he didn't mind the five days.

In giving an account of himself Kelly told the police that he spent his winters in a "Soldiers' Home" and travelled in the Spring and Summer for the benefit of his health. At present he is traveling, but will make a longer stay in Sumter than he usually does in small towns.

"A word to the wise is sufficient" and a word from the wise should be sufficient, but you ask, who are the wise? Those who know. The oft repeated experience of trust worthy persons may be taken for knowledge. Mr. W. M. Terry says Chamberlain's Cough Remedy gives better satisfaction than any other in the market. He has been in the drug business at Elkton, Ky., for twelve years; has sold hundreds of bottles of this remedy and nearly all other cough medicines manufactured, which shows conclusively that Chamberlain's is the most satisfactory to the people, and is the best. For sale by Dr. A. J. China.

New Telephone Subscribers.

Telephone subscribers will please add the following names and numbers to their lists.

18—B. J. Barnett, residence.
54—O. W. Stauch.
60—H. B. Bloom, office.
75—C. P. McFadden, store.
102—P. F. Finn, residence.
106—A. G. Warren, residence.
107—W. J. Barnett, residence.
108—J. F. Langley, residence.
109—Electric Light Station.
110—Jervay House.
111—C. T. Mason, residence.
112—W. H. Yates, residence.
113—Sammy Dry Goods Co.

In 1888 my wife went East and was attacked with rheumatism. She received no relief until she tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm. Since that time we have never been without it. We find it gives instant relief in cases of burns and scalds and is never failing for all rheumatic and neuralgic pains.—D. C. Brant, Santa Ynez, Cal. For sale by A. J. China.

Preparing for Action.

A captain of a company in a neighboring county sent a special courier to Sumter last week with a letter to one of the horse dealers stating he was expecting his company to be called out at any moment to engage in war with Spain and wanted to know the most reasonable terms on which the dealer would furnish horses for his company.

He instructed his courier to find out the latest news, and if war had commenced to telegraph him from Sumter, and carry the horses back with him. That captain is evidently "spilling" for a fight.

Spring Hammers, boils, pimples, sores and all eruptions are promptly cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla, which thoroughly purifies the blood, eradicating every trace of scrofula.

Hood's Pills cure, sick headache, biliousness and all liver ills. Price 25 cents.

PRIVATEER NEWS.

RAMEY, April 9.—The Privateer Amusement Club met at Mr. A. J. Phipps on last night. The attendance was large. The programme as rendered is as follows:

Recitation, Miss Reue Ramsey; Reading, Mr. Asby Bradford; Music, Miss Una Wells; Recitation, Miss Lizzie Whilden. The next meeting will be held at Mr. W. O. Cain's.

Mrs. W. O. Cain has returned from Richmond after spending several days with relatives.

Mr. Editor we are getting ready for war—we have been practicing running.

Does Not Support His Family.

"Dr." Wm. A. Byers, who has recently been in Greenville, Rock Hill, Charlotte and other places, was arrested here and is now in jail. He is charged by his wife, A. V. Byers, with non-support of herself and children. The warrant came from Greenville. The Greenville authorities ask that Byers should not be released unless he can give a five hundred dollar bond.—Columbia cor. News and Courier.

A SPANISH NAME.

Mr. Editor: Will there be war? Will the navies of America and Spain meet on the blue waters of the restless Atlantic and engage in fierce battle? Judging from the varied reports of the Spanish-American troubles which have been appearing so plentifully in the newspapers for the past several weeks, we will have to wait on time for an answer to our two questions. It may even be that war has already been declared, so rapidly have events been succeeding each other. We, however, did not intend to write an essay on the subject of a proposed war, but we wanted to call attention to the fact that we have an interesting and familiar name in Privateer Township which is a Spanish word and it is not confined to this township either, for it is found in many other sections of the South. That name is "Savanna."

The fact that this is a Spanish name was brought to our attention several years ago by a gentleman who is a student of the Spanish language. "Sabana" is the Spanish word for spelling it, but the b and s are interchanged here as in the case of Havana, which is Sabana in Spanish. Sabana has three meanings in the Spanish language, "sheet, altar-cloth, and prairie." It is evident that the last is the meaning of the word when applied to savannas in our country. We need not tell our readers what savannas are, for they are familiar with these curious formations which present so blue and pretty an appearance when covered by water.

Doubtless our readers in Privateer Township, as well as elsewhere, will be surprised on reading this article to learn that this name, with which they are so familiar, is a Spanish word.

McDONALD FURMAN.
Ramey, Privateer Township, April 11, '98

Thousands of sufferers from gripe have been restored to health by One Minute Cough Cure. It quickly cures coughs, colds, bronchitis, pneumonia, gripe, asthma, and all throat and lung diseases.—J. S. Hughes & Co.

Fertilizers are still being received in large quantities and it is a settled fact that the largest cotton crop on record will be planted in South Carolina this year.

WHAT LONGFELLOW WROTE.

Were half the power, that fills the world with terror,

Were half the wealth, bestowed on camps and courts,

Given to redeem the human mind from error,

There were no need of arsenals or forts:

The warrior's name would be a name abhorred!

And every nation, that should lift again

Its hand against a brother, on its forehead

Would wear forevermore the curse of Cain!

Down the dark future, through long generations,

The echoing sounds grow fainter and then cease;

And like a bell, with solemn, sweet vibrations,

I hear once more the voice of Christ say,

"Peace!"

Peace! and no longer from its brazen portals

The blast of War's great organ shakes the skies!

But beautiful as songs of the immortals,

The holy melodies of love arise.

H. W. LONGFELLOW.

Next Tuesday, April 19.

At the Academy of Music, an unusually brilliant amateur theatrical event, will be the first production on any stage of the bright, merry, new comedy, written by Thomas A. Addison, Esq., editor of the Columbia Register, entitled, "What Shall we Do With Her?" Messrs. Bertram and Willard, so well known here, throughout the State and entire South, for their excellent work in conducting large entertainments, have the direction of this production, and will also play leading parts. The Daughters in Israel, Circle No. 1, are sponsors, and the cast embraces the clever ladies and gentlemen who have made Bertram and Willard's many productions such great successes in Sumter. The ladies in charge of this entertainment confidently expect it to be the crowning event of their many notable achievements, and the splendid rehearsals now progressing point to a complete consummation of their hopes, while the interest already manifested by the citizens insures large patronage.

DR. BYERS GOES FREE.

Greenville, S. C., April 11.—An other evidence of woman's love was given to-day. Dr. W. A. Byers was arrested in Columbia and brought to Greenville and lodged in jail on a warrant issued by complaint of his wife for desertion and non-support. None of his former friends here would go on his bond to secure his release. It remained for his wife, who brought about his arrest, to give the bond, and he is now a free man.

Pando's Predicament.

Kington, Jamaica, April 10.—An aggregation of the Cuban Government arrived here to-day and is going on to New York. According to advices from Santiago de Cuba, small engagements are of daily occurrence in the country along the river Canto. General Pando and 1,500 Spanish troops are operating near Bayamo, where the insurgents have them practically surrounded.

Americans who arrived on the Brooklyn declare that the operations must be active, because for the last two weeks wagons loaded with wounded and sick have entered the city daily from the field.

Biliousness

Is caused by torpid liver, which prevents digestion and permits food to ferment and putrify in the stomach. Then follow dizziness, headache,

Hood's Pills

insomnia, nervousness, and, if not relieved, bilious fever or blood poisoning. Hood's Pills stimulate the stomach, rouse the liver, cure headache, dizziness, constipation, etc. 25 cents. Sold by all druggists. The only pills to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

REPORT OF CO. SUPERVISOR.

Claims Against Sumter County.

Presented and Approved for First Quarter of 1898 and Part 1897.

ROADS AND BRIDGES.

No Ac Date
1897
1472 Aug 14 Jeter S Strange R'd Ov'r \$ 1 00
1473 Oct 15 P A Sanders road work &c 10 00
1445 Oct 20 R M James bridge work &c 8 45
1465 " " " " " " " " 3 75
258 Nov " " " " " " " " 4 00
1466 " " " " " " " " 8 80
1453 Dec 26 J W Brown R'd Ov'r & brdg work 9 00
1460 " " " " " " " " 7 00
1465 " " " " " " " " 8 50
1450 " " " " " " " " 24 75
1456 July 26 '96 J S Tisdale br lumber 10 91

Total part '97 ap'd first quarter '98 \$96 16

1898
1 Jan 1 J F Kilgore br work &c \$ 4 40
9 " " " " " " " " 5 91
13 " " " " " " " " 5 65
11 " " " " " " " " 17 22
21 " " " " " " " " 5 75
32 " " " " " " " " 6 60
26 " " " " " " " " 17 25
40 " " " " " " " " 1 85
115 " " " " " " " " 16 05
117 " " " " " " " " 7 00
118 " " " " " " " " 2 50
169 " " " " " " " " 19 56
109 " " " " " " " " 12 25
90 " " " " " " " " 8 28
107 " " " " " " " " 8 95
229 " " " " " " " " 9 00
49 " " " " " " " " 2 90
105 Feb 2 C L Tisdale br lumber &c 9 97
123 " " " " " " " " 5 35
83 " " " " " " " " 9 00
134 " " " " " " " " 9 29
108 " " " " " " " " 6 40
92 " " " " " " " " 6 00
231 " " " " " " " " 5 45
103 " " " " " " " " 22 60
104 " " " " " " " " 12 71
113 " " " " " " " " 9 12
125 " " " " " " " " 17 00
135 " " " " " " " " 3 50
114 " " " " " " " " 4 17
122 " " " " " " " " 7 17
124 " " " " " " " " 2 84
170 " " " " " " " " 14 90
172 " " " " " " " " 23 59
176 " " " " " " " " 41 00
175 " " " " " " " " 3 50
263 " " " " " " " " 2 29
262 " " " " " " " " 27 46
138 Mch 1 G W Brunson br work 2 60
256 " " " " " " " " 1 25
179 " " " " " " " " 5 00
247 " " " " " " " " 5 00
237 " " " " " " " " 7 35
232 " " " " " " " " 2 75
196 " " " " " " " " 6 00
190 " " " " " " " " 40 00
197 " " " " " " " " 6 30
193 " " " " " " " " 45 00
229 " " " " " " " " 12 20
238 " " " " " " " " 12 00
233 " " " " " " " " 2 30
264 " " " " " " " " 4 33
219 " " " " " " " " 2 01
227 " " " " " " " " 5 55
274 " " " " " " " " 8 00
246 " " " " " " " " 5 00
243 " " " " " " " " 4 40
253 " " " " " " " " 30 92
249 " " " " " " " " 7 50
253 " " " " " " " " 5 65
257 " " " " " " " " 5 45
209 " " " " " " " " 22 50
279 " " " " " " " " 6 25
295 " " " " " " " " 10 50
290 Apl 4 Wash Davis ditch work &c 40 74
292 " " " " " " " " 35 00

Total \$715 19

COUNTY BOARD COMMISSIONERS.

6 Jan 3 J M McElveen services \$ 2 25
5 " " " " " " " " 2 25
4 " " " " " " " " 2 50
3 " " " " " " " " 2 50
5 " " " " " " " " 2 25
37 " " " " " " " " 3 29
39 " " " " " " " " 5 40
41 " " " " " " " " 5 20
42 " " " " " " " " 2 50
44 " " " " " " " " 4 00
89 " " " " " " " " 2 50
50 " " " " " " " " 3 60
51 " " " " " " " " 4 29
71 " " " " " " " " 2 25
75 " " " " " " " " 4 80
100 " " " " " " " " 5 00
116 " " " " " " " " 6 00
133 " " " " " " " " 6 00

187 Feb 9 R M McElveen expenses trip to Col on Co business 3 05

228 Jan 28 J W Weldon services 5 30

230 " " " " " " " " 2 50

235 " " " " " " " " 3 20

294 Apl 4 F M Mellett " 2 25

296 " " " " " " " " 2 50

297 " " " " " " " " 2 45

Total \$83 90

COUNTY SUPERVISOR.

186 Mch 31 Marion Dorn s'y on ac \$ 15 00

268 " " " " " " " " 185 00

Total salary 1st quarter 1898 \$200 00

CLERK CO BOARD COMMISSIONERS.

76 Jan 31 Thos V Walsh s'y's sal \$25 00

149 Feb 28 Thos V Walsh " " 25 00

265 Mch 31 Thos V Walsh " " 25 00

Total 1st quarter 1898 \$75 00

COUNTY ATTORNEY.

73 Jan 31 A B Stuckey on ac sal \$12 50

161 Feb 28 A B Stuckey " " 12 50

367 Mch 31 A B Stuckey " " 12 50

Total on salary account \$37 50

COUNTY AUDITOR.

61 Jan 31 J Diggs Wilder salary \$ 41 68

158 Feb 28 J Diggs Wilder salary 41 68

259 Mar 15 J Diggs Wilder office ex 9 93

150 Jan 31 J Diggs Wilder salary 41 68

Total \$134 93

CORONER'S ACCOUNTS, INQUESTS, &c.

1897

1468 Dec 18 J D Craig Furniture Co coffins, inquests \$ 7 00

1898

2 Jan 1 A D Moses cor hold inquests, investigations &c 1 21

19 " " " " " " " " 4 73

18 " " " " " " " " 1 25

27 " " " " " " " " 8 50

28 " " " " " " " " 5 00

29 " " " " " " " " 2 00

35 " " " " " " " " 92

22 " " " " " " " " 1 00

88 " " " " " " " " 1 24

93 " " " " " " " " 8 50

95 " " " " " " " " 2 00

87 Feb 5 A D Moses cor investigation &c 2 47

94 " " " " " " " " 11 07

122 " " " " " " " " 58

131 " " " " " " " " 3 00

144 " " " " " " " " 11 06

148 " " " " " " " " 1 28

180 Mch 4 A D Moses cor hold'g inquest &c 12 40

182 " " " " " " " " 5 00

218 " " " " " " " " 1 26

223 " " " " " " " " 12 40

226 " " " " " " " " 15 60

256 " " " " " " " " 2 00

254 " " " " " " " " 11 78

255 " " " " " " " " 5 50

Total \$137 65

CONSTABLE ACCOUNT.

1897

1432 Dec 24 J D Osteen con services 24 days \$ 6 43

1445 Jan 96 Tyler Dixon con transporting prisoner ex 2 45

1447 Sep 30 Tyler Dixon con sev's 8 33

1448 Dec 30 Tyler Dixon " " 25 00

1449 " " " " " " " " 8 33

Total \$50 54

1898

15 Jan 16 W C Folk services \$ 8 33

37 " " " " " " " " 8 33

48 " " " " " " " " 8 33

58 " " " " " " " " 8 33

63 " " " " " " " " 16 66

64 " " " " " " " " 8 33

65 " " " " " " " " 8 33

111 Feb 5 Tyler Dixon conveying prisoner ex 2 75

112 " " " " " " " " 8 33

137 " " " " " " " " 8 33

140 " " " " " " " " 8 33

146 " " " " " " " " 8 33

160 " " " " " " " " 8 33

154 " " " " " " " " 16 66

177 " " " " " " " " 8 33

192 Mch 6 W C Folk " " 8 33

244 " " " " " " " " 8 33

259 " " " " " " " " 8 33

274 " " " " " " " " 16 66

277 " " " " " " " " 8 33

289 " " " " " " " " 8 33

Total \$184 24

MAGISTRATES' ACCOUNTS.

1897

1471 Dec 31 J W Bradley services \$ 8 33

1898

38 Jan 31 T B Rhame " " 8 33

57 " " " " " " " " 8 33

59 " " " " " " " " 8 33

68 " " " " " " " " 29 16

74 " " " " " " " " 8 33

139 Feb 28 L R Jennings " " 8 33

145 " " " " " " " " 8 33

162 " " " " " " " " 29 16

178 " " " " " " " " 8 33

271 Mch 31 J L Ingram " " 8 33

282 " " " " " " " " 29 16

278 " " " " " " " " 8 33